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CALENDAR IS CROWDED

MORE THAN ENOUGH WORK BEFORE SENATE TO KEEP IT BUSY TO THE END.

MUCH TO REMAIN UNDONE

Not More Than Twelve Per Cent of Bills Introduced Will Have Become Laws at Close of Session—Appropriation Bills, Conference Reports and Aldrich Bond Deposit Bill to Take Precedence Over Others.

Washington, March 2.—The senate has more than enough work to keep it occupied the last week of the session and do the best it may there will be much left undone when the gavel of the president pro tempore shall fall at the close of the final sitting at noon Wednesday, when the last session of the Firty-seventh congress will close by constitutional limitation. The calendar, even at this late day, is quite full, and there are many more bills in committee than have been reported out. In the present congress, like most others, only about 10 or 12 per cent of the bills introduced have become laws, but it is also to be said that the record of bills introduced far exceeds that of any previous congress. Tuesday's session will be continued until noon Wednesday, and the senate will be in almost continuous session day and night until then.

Of the supply bills, the sundry civil, postoffice, naval and fortification bills are still in the hands of conference committees, but there are no points in dispute in connection with any of them which are likely to be difficult of adjustment; the general deficiency bill is the only one of the appropriation bills that has not passed the senate, and it will be passed some time during the day.

Aldrich Bond Deposit Bill.

Aside from the appropriation bills and conference reports, precedence will be given to the Aldrich bond deposit bill. Senator Aldrich expresses confidence that this bill will pass during the day, but some of the Democratic senators say that its passage now is out of the question because of the number of speeches to be made on it, and they contend that if its passage shall be assured it cannot be gotten through the house. There is also great anxiety to get action on the Philippine tariff bill, and while there is also opposition to this measure, it is intimated that this antagonism might cease in case of a cessation of the efforts to pass the bond deposit bill, but Senator Aldrich is not disposed to yield to this kind of argument. It therefore seems probable that the greater part of the day will be devoted to the Aldrich bill and to appropriations. There will be a determined effort to get the Philippine bill in shape to send to the president before the final dissolution of congress on Wednesday but this, as intimated above, may depend on the fate of the financial measure. A final attempt will be made to

Press the Panama Canal Treaty

to a conclusion in the hope that Senator Morgan may relent in his opposition and allow the treaty to be ratified rather than force an extra session of the senate. His friends say, however, that he has no such intention and they add that he is willing to accept the full responsibility for a called session.

Senators generally, therefore, have given up all hope of avoiding the extra session, and now are concerned principally as to the time it shall begin and the length of time it shall occupy. Some of them are advising the president not to ask the body to reassemble before Monday, March 9, while Senator Aldrich is urging that the call be issued for March 5, the day after the dissolution of the present congress.

The principal, if not the only duty, of the extra session will be the consideration of the Panama canal treaty and the Cuban reciprocity treaty, but the senate may, if it so desires, take up the question of the reorganization of the committees. No disposition toward this step has yet manifested itself, and it does not now seem probable.

Smoot Will Be Seated.

On the first day of the new session the new senators will be sworn in. Among those who will take the oath of office will be Mr. Smoot of Utah, against whom, on account of his connection with the Mormon church and his alleged adherence to its tenets, old and new, a number of protests have been filed. These protests do not constitute proof and, as Mr. Smoot's credentials are entirely regular, he will be allowed to take his seat and the investigation, if one is to be made, will be postponed until the regular session of congress, beginning in December next. If there should be objection to Mr. Smoot taking his seat, the ceremony, under the rules of the senate, might be postponed for a day. It is intimated that there may be some discussion of his case during the extra session, but if so it would precede all committee action and would come up either as a question of privilege or in connection with some other question.

EULOGIZES HOUSE MEMBERS.

Senate Holds Sunday Session to Pay Tribute to the Dead.

Washington, March 2.—The senate spent three house Sunday in eulogies of four deceased members of the house.

Speeches eulogistic of their lives and labors were delivered upon the late Peter J. Otey of Virginia, James Moody of North Carolina, John W. Rumple of Iowa and Thomas R. Tongue of Oregon. At the conclusion of the addresses the several resolutions of regret were adopted and as a further mark of respect the senate at 3 o'clock adjourned.

SUIT IS DECIDED.

Indian's Heirs Win in Contest for Valuable Property.

Kansas City, March 2.—A jury in the case of Annie B. Wood and other heirs of Silas Armstrong, an Indian, to recover Missouri river bottom land in Kansas City, Kan., valued at $1,000,000 and occupied by large packing houses, railways and others, has returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiffs.

The attorneys for the defense have filed notice of appeal. In all there were forty plaintiffs and ten defendants. The tract of land contains nearly eighty-five acres and originally belonged to Silas Armstrong, a Wyandotte Indian, but according to the jury's verdict was an island from 1867 until 1891.

KILLED BY A WORK TRAIN.

Two Pennsylvania Men Run Down Near Dravesburg.

Pittsburg, March 2.—Reuben Maxwell, a coal miner of Coal Valley, and Frank Wilson, his brother-in-law, were struck and instantly killed by a work train on the Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston road near Dravesburg. Maxwell's nephew was a fireman on the work train.

RIVERS ON RAMPAGE

HUNDREDS OF PITTSBURG FAMILIES FORCED TO ABANDON THEIR HOMES.

NO LOSS OF LIFE REPORTED

Much Damage to Property Is Done, and Traffic in Many Places Is at a Standstill—Cellars and Basements of Business Houses Are Inundated. People in Allegheny Adopt Venetian Methods of Traversing Streets.

Pittsburg, March 2.—With every tributary of the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers emptying swirling torrents into the banks of these two streams and rushing down to the point where they converge to form the Ohio, Pittsburg was given a visitation during the day which forced hundreds of families to either abandon their homes or seek escape from the water in the upper stories, while mud and water dispensed destruction and discomfort below. Mills in the low lying levels throughout the county, numbering between fifty and sixty, were flooded, and 38,375 men are thown idle for four or five days with a loss in wages of more than $326,748.

Flood Is General.

The flood was general throughout Western Pennsylvania, the streams everywhere overflowing their banks and causing more or less damage to the houses and farms that lay in their course. Down town in Pittsburg cellars and basements of business houses which are in the general flood belt were inundated, while in Allegheny two railroads were temporarily paralyzed owing to the water which covered their tracks. People in the First and Third wards, Allegheny, had to adopt Venice methods of going to and from their homes. Gondolas of the ordinary skiff type were commoner than wheeled vehicles.

Ample warning had been received by most of the residents and business firms threatened in time for them to make preparations to minimize the losses.

Highest Stage at Pittsburg.

The highest stage reached by the swollen rivers at Pittsburg was 29.4 feet at the government dam at Herr's Island. It became stationary at that mark and gradually began to subside. The cold weather which set in Saturday night served to check the flood and prevented far more serious proportions.

Soon after daylight the water took possession of the Point districts in Pittsburg and came up almost into Penn avenue. All of Lower Allegheny felt the severest effects of the high water and practically every house between Isabella street and the river from the Ninth street bridge to the Point have cellars and first floors flooded. The Pittsburg and Western railroad and the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg tracks are under water, necessitating their abandonment temporarily.

River Men Alert.

River men took early precaution to place shipping under safe control and as a result property of this character suffered comparatively little damage.

From the territory up the Monongahela and Allegheny rivers come reports that much damage was done by the flooding of the lower floors of houses, mills and factories. From all points above on both rivers the waters are reported as either falling or stationary and danger is averted.

Towns below here on the Ohio, however, are still to have their worst experiences during the present high water.

Business Section Inundated.

At McKee's Rock and Corapolis, a few miles below Pittsburg, the water is so high that the business sections of both places are under water and several street car lines were forced to suspend operations. East Liverpool, O., reports 30 feet of water, seventy-five houses flooded, and several of the pottery plants damaged. Street car service to Smith's Ferry has been abandoned.

At Wellsville, four miles below East Liverpool, the mill of the American Tinplate company is partially inundated and scores of fmailies are suffering.

Steubenville, O., reports thirty feet of water and rising five inches an hour. Five more feet are expected, which will cause the Wheeling and Lake Erie and the Cleveland and Pittsburg railroads and mills on the low ground to suspend.

THREE FIREMEN INJURED.

Fire at Chicago Frightens a Number of People.

Chicago, March 2.—Occupants of the Great Eastern and Queen hotels at Wabash avenue and Harrison street and 100 or more persons in the palm garden at the Auditorium Annex were given a scare by a fire which destroyed the six-story building at 250-252 Wabash avenue, which extended back nearly to Auditorium Annex. The property loss is estimated at nearly $150,000.

Three firemen were painfully injured by a falling ladder. For a time the fire threatened to spread to several hotels and lodging houses, many occupants of which carried their belongings into the street.

WILL CONTINUE FILIBUSTER.

Democrats of the House Deside to Block Legislation to the End.

Washington, March 2.—The Democrats of the house have decided to prosecute their filibuster until congress expires by limitation at noon March 4, and the three remaining days of the session, therefore, promise to be largely repetitions of the past three—that is, all business will have to be transacted in the face of every obstacle which the minority can interpose. But even by the laborious processes to which the majority will be put, it is believed, ample time remains to get through the conference reports on the remaining five appropriation bills. There is slim chance for much beyond that so far as the house is concerned. Twenty-seven bills with senate amendments are on the speaker's table. One or two of these may get through, but the great majority are doomed to die where they are. The one bill in which the Republican leaders are particularly interested is the Aldrich financial bill, and if it comes from the senate a way will be found, probably through the operation of a special rule, to secure action on it. The complications arising out of the fact that a hostile committee, that on banking and currency, has jurisdiction over the subject, can be overcome by a rule. It is believed that the immigration bill which passed the senate Saturday in amended form also will be acted on.

TRANSACTS SOME BUSINESS.

House Puts District of Columbia Bill Through Last Stage.

Washington, March 2.—The house of representatives held a four hours' session Sunday, and put the District of Columbia appropriation bill through its last parliamentary stage in the face of the Democratic filibuster. The previous question on the conference report on the Alaskan homestead bill was ordered and the vote on its adoption will be taken when the house reconvenes. That was the net result of the Sunday session. Although it was Sunday by the calendar it was still Thursday, Feb. 26, according to parliamentary faction. The Democrats put a block in the legislative wheel at every opportunity and it required six roll calls to accomplish what was done. Large crowds watched the proceedings from the galleries.

A resolution introduced in the house by Mr. Dalzell and referred to the committee on rules, provided for a joint resolution to continue appropriations in the event of the failure of any of the supply bills to pass at this session. It is reported that there is a disposition on the part of the conferees on one or two of the appropriation bills not to yield, and the aim of the resolution is to provide against the contingency of a disagreement of any conference committee.

FOWLER CURRENCY BILL.

House Committee Authorizes a Favorable Report on It.

Washington, March 2.—The house committee on banking and currency by a vote of 7 to 2—a strict party vote—authorized a favorable report on the currency bill introduced Saturday by Representative Fowler, chairman of the committee. In reporting the bill the committee says:

"In addition to providing for the issuing and circulation of national bank notes, the object of this measure is to immediately put back into circulation any money the government may collect through its receipts as well as through its collections from internal revenues."

The friends of the new Fowler bill will urge its adoption instead of the Aldrich bill, should that measure come over from the senate, and also in place of the Payne bill.

INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY.

General Booth Would Establish One for Salvation Army Workers.

New York, March 2.—General William Booth, head of the Salvation Army, presided at three farewell meetings in the Academy of Music during the day, to mark the close of his five months' visit to this country, during which he delivered addresses in fifty-two cities.

At the night meeting the Academy was filled to overflowing. In the course of his address General Booth announced a plan for the establishment of an international university for the development of trained rescuers of humanity.

"A university of the science of humanity," he said, "where men and women can be trained to reclaim depraved women, criminals, and drunkards—that's what I want now. I mean a great institution, with its main establishments in London and New York, corelated with branches in Melbourne, Toronto, Berlin and Paris, from which thousands of Salvation Army workers shall be sent to the submerged masses each year, skilled in every known method of rescuing human beings from the under world of despair."

STRUCK BY AN AVALANCHE.

Engine of a Passenger Train Derailed in Illinois.

Alton, Ill., March 2.—As the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis southbound passenger train was passing a bluff near Cliffton terrace at forty miles an hour Sunday night an avalanche of earth came rolling down and stopped its passage.

The engine was derailed and the train was delayed five hours. Passengers were shaken up but none was hurt.

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APPOINTMENT OF NEGROES.

The President Upholds His Policy in Letter to Atlanta Constitution.

Atlanta, Ga., March 2.—A letter from President Roosevelt to the editor of the Constitution is a reply to a request for an expression concerning the recent letter by Mr. Stillwell Edwards, of Macon, in which Mr. Edwards made a statement as to the president's position regarding federal appointments in the South, claiming the president had been misunderstood.

President Roosevelt says that his appointments speak for themselves and that he does not need to apologize for any of them, but rather should feel that he has the right to claim the support of all good citizens who desire a high standard of federal service and fair dealing with the South. He has sought to consider the feelings of the people in each locality in making appointments as long as that feeling did not conflict with principle, and he has often gone to the opposition party in the South when not satisfied with what his own party offered. In regard to appointments of negroes, the president said:

"I could not treat mere color as a permanent bar to holding office, any more than I could so treat creed or birthplace, always provided that in other respects the applicant or incumbent is a worthy and well behaved American citizen. Just as little will I treat it as conferring a right to hold office."

GALE RENEWED.

Vessels Still Taking Refuge in Ports Along British Coast.

London, March 2.—The gale was renewed in the British Isles Saturday night and continuel during the day, but with less violence. Vessels are still taking refuge in the ports, arriving battered by the storm. Others have gone ashore. A quantity of wreckage has been seen off the coast of Northumberland and the indications point to the wreck of the British ship Cambrian Prince, Captain Owens, Coquimbo for Middlesborough, which called at Queenstown Feb. 11.

Later news from the South of Ireland shows that the gale was exceedingly fierce. Many storm beaten vessels have taken shelter in Cork harbor. The British steamer Pharsalia went through a terrible experience. She left Boston Jan. 30 for Leith, calling at St. John, N. B. The hurricane struck her Feb. 24, and the heavy seas flooded her hold, damaged her cargo, smashed the bridge and almost all the deck fittings, stove in the boats and swept the binnacle overboard. The captain's ribs were broken and several of the crew were injured. The Pharsalia was obliged to put into Queenstown. The British steamer Cebrania, Captain Evans, London, and the Tyne, Feb. 13 for Boston, also put back to Queenstown, after being seventeen days at sea. She only got 700 miles west of Ireland, and experienced repeated hurricanes. The decks were swept of everything movable and the boats damaged.

BANK ROBBERS ARRESTED.

Missouri Bandits Apprehended in Connecticut.

Hartford, Conn., March 2.—William Rudolph, known as the "Missouri Kid," and George Collins were arrested here by officers of a detective agency and Hartford police. The men are wanted for a bank robbery at Union, Mo., committed Dec. 27. The safe and vault were blown open and while one of the burglars secured the money the other stood on the street with revolvers and prevented citizens from interfering. About $14,000 in money and $100,000 in securities were stolen.

Private Detective Schumacher of Chicago, was killed when he went with three deputy sheriffs to the house of the suspect's parents. The latter were arrested. Young Rudolph and Collins went to Hot Springs, Ark.

In the rooms occupied by the men were found three large revolvers, a bag of cartridges and skeleton keys and a bag of tools. About $8,500 was recovered altogether.

JEFFRIES AND CORBETT.

They Agree to Fight Twenty Rounds in Next July.

New York, March 2.—James J. Jeffries and James J. Corbett met during the day and agreed to fight twenty rounds next July before the club that will give them $25,000 or the largest purse that may be offered above that sum, the winner to take 75 per cent and the loser 25. It was also agreed that the principals should meet in Baltimore to sign articles Thursday next.

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Weather.

Possible showers or snow flurries.

IN his Fergus Falls Globe, Haldor E. Boen editorially says: "I reviewed my past and read nothing but blunders; I peered into my future and only oblivion could see." It has been said that an open confession is good for the soul. Bro. Boen should take something for that tired feeling.

OVER at Sauk Center the new Carnegie library building will occupy the site now occupied by the Congregational church, the church people having agreed to move their edifice in order to give the library a choice location and satisfy a popular demand. The price paid for the site was $2,500, of which amount the city council voted $1,000, the school board $1,000 and the library board puts up the other $500. And to show how some cities appreciate the value of a library it may be stated that not a dissenting vote was recorded in either of the four corporations that had to pass upon the proposition.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

D. Dykeman has returned from the cities.

E. H. Simmons left for the east this afternoon.

F. S. Johns, of Duluth, spent Sunday in the city.

Hon. A. F. Ferris returned from St. Paul this afternoon.

Dr. Courtney returned from St. Paul this afternoon.

Attorney Allbright returned from the south this afternoon.

Robt. Gatewood, of Fargo, is here visiting Wm. Waldrop.

J. B. Williams was a passenger to the Twin cities this afternoon.

J. W. Bailey, of Pequot, is in the the city this afternoon on business.

P. S. Stillings has been failing for some time and is not expected to live long.

Miss Jess Tyler returned from her visit at Duluth and the Twin cities this afternoon.

P. J. McKeon arrived in the city from Bemidji this morning where he has been on business.

Henry Poppenberg expects to leave in a few days for California to spend a month or two.

W. F. Holst, the Front street machinery man, left this afternoon for the Twin cities on business.

Conductor Bush returned this morning from Staples where he went last evening to join the O. R. C.

H. M. Gann, of the hotel at Backus, passed through the city this afternoon en route to Minneapolis.

Chas. Hazen who has been visiting in the city for some time, left this afternoon for Peoria, Ill., on land business.

There will be no meeting of the D of H. tomorrow night as the hall will not be ready. They will meet for the first time on March 17.

A novel sight to see is a carload of elegant apples at this time of the year. Cleary, McGinnis & Hemstead received two car loads this morning.

R. G. Vallentyne has received a part of his new furniture for his office on Sixth street. The new roll top desk and the typewriter desk are already in position. They are new and up-to-date and both are out of the ordinary. Mr. Vallentyne will have as fine office fixtures as there are in the city when they are all installed.

Dr. J. A. Thabes and A. L. Mattes left last night for St. Paul where they will secure a new outfit of robes and other paraphernalia for use in putting candidates through, most of the stuff in use before having been badly damaged by the smoke and water in the recent fire. This committee will have this stuff shipped here by Thursday night and it will be used for the first time on that evening, when an unusually large class of candidates will be put through. The event will be an interesting one in Elk circles in Brainerd.

W. T. Blakeley, of Farley, was in the city this morning on business.

Mrs. M. Case, of Walker, is visiting in this city with Mrs. C. F. Nelson.

T. J. Foley, Aitkin, passed through the city this afternoon en route to Minneapolis.

Henry Walters, of Montreal, Can., is in the city visiting with his brother R. F. Walters.

Bishop Morrison passed through the city this afternoon en route to his home in Duluth.

Attorney A. T. Larson returned from Little Falls this afternoon where he has been attending court.

Miss Minnie Anderson left for St. Paul this afternoon after a pleasant visit in the city with friends and relatives.

O. K. Burdette and wife moved to their home at Vineland this afternoon, after spending the winter in the city.

Fred Slipp returned from Minneapolis this afternoon where he has been attending the hardware dealers convention.

Earnest Jones left for St. Paul this afternoon where he will serve on the grand jury of the United States Circuit court.

John Ley, the directory man, arrived in the city this afternoon to make the preliminary canvass for a new city directory.

There will be a meeting of the members of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. in the "Y" parlors on Wednesday evening

Dr. Forbes passed through the city this afternoon en route to Minneapolis and St. Paul from Motley where he officiated yesterday.

Joseph Bentley, brother-in-law of Mrs. L. F. Nelson, died at his home in Marshall, Mich., on Feb. 28. Mr. Nelson left for Michigan Saturday night.

W. E. Seelye left this afternoon for Minneapolis, where will meet Mrs. Ray Seelye, his daughter-in-law, who is coming to Brainerd from Sault St. Marie for a visit.

Assistant General Superintendent Pierson, of the N. P., accompanied bo Supt. Blanchard, of the Minnesota division, was in the city for a short time between trains this morning.

P. G. Clarkson, the popular traveling salesman for a Duluth wholesale house, arrived in the city this afternoon. Mr. Clarkson expects to make this city his headquarters and has taken appartments in the Hartley block.

A bright baby boy has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cook, and there is no happier household in the third ward today. The smile that radiates Mr. Cook's face as he gives the boys' weight, eight and three fourths pounds, is good for that tired feeling. Mother and child are doing nicely.

A. L. Hart, of the Gordon-Shay Grand Opera Company, booked to appear at the Brainerd opera house, a week from tonight is in the city today. This company appears at Fargo this week. It has a strong repertoire but it has not been decided yet what will be put on here, the manager desiring if possible to secure an expression of the theatre goers on the matter. The company is a good one, and it will be a treat for Brainerd people to hear grand opera.

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RECEIVES THE CARDINALS.

Pope Leo Refuses to Accede to the Desire of His Physician.

Rome, March 2.—Dr. Lapponi, the pope's physician, in the morning made a last effort to induce his holliness to renounce his reception of the cardinals. He remonstrated with him, saying, "Your holiness, my duty is to point out that your health would greatly benefit by your resting today." The pope replied, "My dear doctor, before your valuable advice comes my duty, which I shall perform until the end."

The audience was held in the pope's private library, and Pope Leo spoke continuously for half an hour with the forty-two cardinals present. No address was delivered and the most important words were when the pontiff referred with emphasis to his advanced age and approaching end.

Before retirement he presented to each cardinal a richly embellished pamphlet, reviewing the chief events in his pontificate, including a Latin poem of his own composition and five of his most important encylicals. His holiness said: "I will order that the few cardinals absent, like Cardinal Gibbons, shall also have it."

ADDRESS ON WASHINGTON.

Delivered by Rev. G. W. Gallagher at Lockport, Ill.—A Glowing Tribute to his Worth as a Man.

The Lockport Journal, of Feb. 24, has a two column writeup of the address delivered by Rev. G. W. Gallagher, formerly of this city, at that place on Washington's birthday. The following paragrah is taken from the review of the address:

"Last Sunday evening, in the First Congregational church, Rev. G. W. Gallager delivered a masterly discourse on Washington and his influence. Niagara Council, No. 8, Jr. O. U. A. M., and Star of Bethlehem Council, No. 21, D. A. R., attended in a body. Mr. Gallagher began by saying that the highest monument erected to honor the memory of one man was Washington's monument in the city that bears his revered name. In that monument were placed stone from different parts of the world. One stone bore the inscription, "From Rome to America." This stone was taken from the Temple of Peace in the city of Rome, which stood close to the palace of the Caesars. Washington was worthy of all the precious stones that could be placed in his monument. The height of his monument was symbolical of the grandeur of his fame. No work of art could be too high or too glorious to commemorate his character and his deeds. The ages had travailed in birth to produce him. As the stones of which his monument was composed had required unceasing geological epochs to produce their mica, felspar and marble, so all the centuries had contributed to the foundation of his ideas, principles and convictions."

Garden seeds and lawn grass at D. M. Clark & Co. 30-tf

EASILY DECIDED.

This Question Should be Answered Easily by Brainerd People.

Which is wiser—to have confidence in the opinions of your fellow citizens and people you know, or depend upon statements made by utter strangers, residing in far-away places? Read the following:

Mr. F. J. Hagadorn, of 123, Ninth street north, says: "For thirty years I had more or less trouble with my Kidneys. Some attacks laid me up while during others my back ached so severely that I could not sleep at night nor work during the day. On many occasions I could not stand and talk to a man for two or three minutes without suffering with twinges across the small of my back which radiated toward the shoulders. As time passed by the complaint became more pronounced and difficulty with the kidney secretions set in. As might be expected I tried everything when the attacks occurred to check them, but if I had met with any marked degree of success I never would have resorted to Doan's Kidney's Pills.

"When suffering severely I went to a drug store and got a box, I expected the results would be similar to those obtained by using other preparations. In twenty-four hours I changed my mind. I noticed they were acting totally different to anything hitherto tried, and encouraged I kept on with the treatment until I finished two boxes. Now I may have recurrences but at the present moment, and it is some time since I stopped the treatment, I have not a symptom of my old complaint. To anyone interested I will be only too pleased to give the minuter details and substantiate the above statement in a personal interview."

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RELIEVED FUEL PRESSURE.

Milder Weather Also Stimulated General Trade Conditions.

New York, Feb. 28.—R. G. Dun Company's weekly review of trade says:

Milder weather not only accelerated the demand for many lines of merchandise, but relieved the pressure for fuel, which threatened to become a serious matter, and incidentally facilitated efforts to reduce the freight congestion. With no other retarding feature than the holiday lull, business fully maintains its gratifying position. Returns of both domestic and foreign trade are fully equal to those of the same month last year and in many cases there are marked gains. The people are consuming on a scale never before equalled, as evidenced by the enormous distribution and continual inquiries for prompt shipment. Firmly held quotations also bear testimony to the fact that demand is often greater than supply.

TWO MINERS SUFFOCATED.

Overcome by Gas From a Shot in an Illinois Mine.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 28.—Alfred Mottley and Thomas McDonald were suffocated to death in the Black Diamond mine south of here during the day by being overcome by gas. Emery Brewer, the fire boss, in his efforts to save the men, nearly met death himself. Mottley had ventured into the smoke too soon after a shot was fired, and McDonald was suffocated in trying to rescue his companion.

You May Count on Minnesota.

"Our Teddy:"
Should there be a little trouble,
In the Monroe Doctrine belt.
Should the Teuton's anger bubble,
Into more than empty words—
You may
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No dude flannelled officers,
But a lot of husky boys and girls,
Who can quickly shoulder arms—
You'd be
proud of
Minnesota

In times of peace we're rated low,
Just 200,000 men.
But if the whole reserve should go,
You'd see quite an army there
When you
checked up
Minnesota

Our lumberjacks and river men,
Miners from the Iron Range,
Would drop their jobs and hasten then,
To the front and be in line.
When you
called out
Minnesota

Indians from the reservation,
Jack pine savages, switch hogs,
Just think of the devastation,
Such a motley crew would do.
When you
whispered
Minnesota

Full strength the navy would be manned,
When our sons of viking blood,
Tackled the sea to beat the band,
And the ships of William too—
You'd
hurrah for
Minnesota.

God grant the time may never come,
That mere talk should turn to blows,
Still, if William's too troublesome,
And can't endure him longer—
Why, just
call up
Minnesota.

February 26, 1903.

JOHN H. HOFFBAUER

THE MARKETS.

The following range of prices on the Minneapolis market today is furnished by Edwards, Wood & Co:

Wheat—	May	July
Opening	76¼	76¼
Highest	76⅜	76⅜
Lowest	76¼	76¼
Closing	76⅜	76½

The following are the cash closing prices on the Minneapolis market:

No. 1 Hard	$0 .78⅞
No. 1 Northern	.77⅞
No. 2 Northern	.77⅜
No. 3 Yellow Corn	.41½
No. 3 Corn	.40 to 41½
No. 4 Corn	.35 to 38
No. 2 White Oats	.34¼
No. 3 White Oats	.33¼ to 33½
No. 2 Rye	.48
Barley	.42 to 58
Flax cash or to arrive	1.12½
February	1.12¾

The Chicago closing prices are as follows:

May wheat	$0 .77½
July "	.73⅜
May Corn	.47¾
July "	.44⅞
May Oats	.35¾
July "	.32⅝
May Pork	18.20
July "	17.65
May Lard	9.72
July "	9.65
May Ribs	9.87
July "	9.67

Wheat—early cables slightly easier in sympathy with our little decline of Saturday. Clearances of wheat and flour the largest for several days about 310,600 bushels. Primary receipts about the same as a year ago. The visible supply decreased 1,147,000 bushels, about one million more than expected.

Corn was the leading feature of today's trading and advanced sharply. There was nothing special in the news and the advance was fully upon merits and main strength of the corn situation.

Provisions—Hogs were strong and 10c higher. Receipts light and pork continued on its upward course.

Oats were dull and slightly easier, in a way neglected as interest is in corn principally.

Awnings! Awnings!! At D. M. Clark & Co's.

SIGN FRENCH PROTOCOL.

Bowen and Jusserand Finish Negotiations on Venezuelan Case.

Washington Feb. 28.—M. Jusserand, the French ambassador, and Mr. Herbert W. Bowen, the Venezuelan plenipotentary, signed a protocol in the afternoon for the settlement of the French claims against Venezuela by a joint commission to meet at Caracas and for the reference to The Hague tribunal of the contention of the allied powers for preferential treatment in the satisfaction of their demands. The French protocol, which is the sixth convention Mr. Bowen has signed, is identical, save as to parties, with that of the United States, recently signed by Secretary Hay and Mr. Bowen.

BOILER EXPLODES.

Proprietor of an Iowa Flour Mill and His Son Killed.

Keosauqua, Ia., Feb. 28.—A boiler in the Keosauqua flour mill exploded during the day, killing Anton Nies, the proprietor, and George Nies, his son.

SNOW IN NEBRASKA.

Loss of Cattle on Ranges Probably Will Be Large.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 28.—Telegrams from Central and Western Nebraska towns say a heavy blanket of snow covers the whole region and the storm is continuing. A dispatch from Ainsworth says: "All traffic is suspended. Much suffering among stock is reported and the loss of range cattle will be large."

OUR SPECIAL SALE

In the Grocery Department is a "hummer" and before placing your order for Groceries, Chinaware, Glassware, Hardware and Tinware, look over our handbills, our unexcelled facilities for buying and our favorable position in conducting our business at a very low average expense, warrants us in claiming that we can save you money. Compare our prices and be convinced. In these times of sharp competition, all merchants who want your trade and expect to retain you as a customer, must quote you the lowest possible prices, and give you in return the best possible values; we give exactly what we advertise and our guarantee accompanies all orders or your money back.

A few prices, but see handbills for full particulars.

100 lbs of the best Flour	**$1.80**
20 lbs granulated Sugar	**$1.00**
6 lbs Japan Rice for	**25c**
6 lbs best Pearl Tapioca for	**25c**
6 lbs best Sago for	**25c**
Large Can Royal Baking Powder	**33c**
Small can Royal Baking Powder	**16c**
All 25c Baking Powder go for	**17c**
8 lbs Oat Meal for	**25c**
Baker's Chocolate, per cake	**15c**
7 lbs hand picked Navy Beans	**25c**
Fancy Breakfast Bacon per pound	**15c**
Silver Leaf Lard per pound	**12c**
Bell Coffee, 15c grade for	**10c**

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BAKING CONTEST.

For the purpose of encouraging the use of

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among the best cooks of Brainerd, we have arranged to have a series of bread baking contests for prizes.

The first award will be made on the afternoon of March 14th, 1903, at the store of Elg Brothers.

The second one on the afternoon of March 21st, 1903, at the store of Dahl & Engbretsen.

The third on the afternoon of March 28th, 1903, at the store of Scandinavian Co-operative Mercantile Co.

The fourth on the afternoon of April 4th, 1903, at the store of Bredenberg & Erickson.

The fifth on the afternoon of April 11th, 1903, at the store of A. Holdquist.

The sixth on the afternoon of April 18th, 1903, at te store of Forsythe & Laing.

The judges will be chosen by a committee and the prizes, a fine Linen Table Cloth at each contest will be on exhibition for two weeks before the several contests at the places where the contests are to be held. All are cordially invited to participate in the contests.

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E. M. WESTFALL SELLS OUT.

A. F. Kenyon Acquires the Stock of Clothing, Boots and Shoes--Mr. Westfall to Retire from Business.

The stock of clothing, boots and shoes owned by E. M. Westfall was today transferred to A. F. Kenyon, and in the future this gentleman will have charge of the stock. Mr. Kenyon is a man of wide experience in the mercantile business, having conducted a business in Minneapolis for himself for about eighteen years.

The sale was made on January 1 but the transfer was not consummated until today. Mr. Westfall will not engage in business for a time but will take a much needed rest.

FOUND—A pocketbook containing a small amount of money. Inquire of Will A. Baily, freight office. 30-tf

SHE COULD NOT ENDURE HER GRIEF

Death of Mrs. R. H. Cross, nee Britton, Occurred this Morning at 4 O'clock.

SAD SEQUEL TO ROMANTIC LIFE.

Husband Left Her and Her Babe Two Weeks Before Christmas to Shift for Themselves.

A picture painted upon the great white canvas of time, which teaches another lesson, the minutest details of which lay bare the abject neglect of a man of his better half, even though he had promised to guard, protect and love her, and on the other hand a wife's filial love and devotion, has been finished and the scroll has been rolled up and the romance of a few months ago ended this morning in sad sequel, when death claimed Mrs. R. H. Cross, nee Mabel Britton, which was the finishing touch to the great sad study.

Some twelve months ago, or more, R. H. Cross, who was well known in this city asked pretty Mabel Britton's hand in marriage. The young girl, then but seventeen years of age, loved him and on this account was willing to take up life's battle with him, but her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Britton objected seriously to the match. But there was no quenching of the flame that had been ignited, and though the parents of the young girl objected to the marriage, it was performed.

The young people went to housekeeping and their friends wished them the best of success, even the father and mother of the girl had forgiven and forgotten all and wished them life and prosperity.

The young wife was constant in her devotion and love and did everything in the world to make the life of him with whom she had cast her lot a happy one. Months went on and finally a little girl was born to them and this new experience in the lives of the young couple seemed to strengthen the love of the mother.

About two weeks before Christmas Roy Cross went away, telling his wife that he was going to Missoula, Mont. After he had gone the wife waited patiently for a letter but none came. Finally the little babe was taken sick and believing that this might move Cross to write, his wife wrote him regarding the sickness. She then got one letter but that was the last heard from him. Weeks rolled on and no word came. Finally the wife was compelled to leave her rooms in the Hartley block and go to the home of her father and mother. She waited for some word from Missoula, but it never came, and finally she wrote to Cross's father, Dr. Cross of Missoula. She got word back that Roy had left for Sandy Point, Idaho.

Mrs. Cross was grief stricken and pined for some word. Not even a small token was sent to her or her baby during the Christmas tide and she felt entirely neglected and alone in the world. Nothing more has been heard from Roy Cross.

To add grief to her sorrow a story was printed in one of the Twin city papers regarding a man by the name of R. H. Cross being mixed up with two women at Missoula. This story went on to say that the two women were infatuated with Cross and one of them being a hypnotist put him to sleep one day and kept him in a hypnotic state for three or four days. It was necessary to secure a hypnotist to wake him up. When he did wake up it is reported he married the other woman. It is not known definitely that this was Roy Cross, but it is supposed that it was as this was his initials. Anyway Mrs. Cross here pined over the matter.

She finally grew sick from worrying and ultimately took the grippe. It is thought that from pining and worrying over her affairs she passed into a state from which there was no hope for her recovery. She often complained to friends that she did not care to live longer; that there was nothing in life for her now.

It is an extremely sad case and Roy Cross has been severely criticized for his neglect of his wife, who was always considered a girl of good moral habits and was beloved by all who knew her. The parents of the girl are heartstricken over the sad turn of affairs.

Do you want a baby carriage, go cart, refrigerator or ice cream freezer on easy terms. See D. M. Clark & Co. 30-tf

POPULAR AT OLD HOME.

Oelwein, Iowa, Register, Contained Extended Obituary Notice of Death of Mrs. Harry Kimball.

The following regarding the death of Mrs. Harry Kimball, who died in this city, is taken from the Oelwein, Ia., Register:

Mrs. Florence Blake Kimball died at her home in Brainerd, Minnesota, February 21, and the funeral services occurred yesterday afternoon from the Presbyterian church in this city, Rev. James M. Wilson officiating. Interment in Oelwein cemetery.

Florence Blake was born in this city Oct. 4, 1878, and continued to reside here till less than a year ago. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Blake, her father having passed to the future world during the past year. She was educated in the public schools and graduated from the Oelwein high school in the class of '97. After attending the State Normal at Cedar Falls she was elected to a position in the city schools in 1898, and was successful as a teacher. June 25, 1902, she was united in marriage to Harry Kimball, and immediately removed to Brainerd, Minnesota, where she has since resided. She was taken ill about New Years, and the end came Saturday after much suffering.

Her husband, mother, sister and brother were at her bedside, and all that was possible was done for her, but in vain.

There was a large concourse of relatives and friends at the funeral. The Machinists attended in a body and formed an escort to the cemetery. Rev. Wilson took for his text: "Her sun has gone down while yet it is day," and delivered an appropriate address. Memorial flowers were bestowed by the Machinists, of which organization Mr. Kimball was a member, by the Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church, and the Emerson Club, in both of which Mrs Kimball was a member, and many friends also gave beautiful flowers. The esteem in which she was held was manifested in numerous ways. She was a young woman of beautiful character, and universally esteemed. The sympathy of the community is extended to the husband, mother, sister and brother in their sad affliction.—Oelwein, Iowa, Register.

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WALKER—BLATNER.

News Received of the Marriage of Two Well Known Former Brainerdites at Spokane, Wash.

News has been received in this city of the marriage of Mr. G. M. Walker and Mrs. Agnes Blatner, which occurred at Spokane, Wash., the latter part of February.

Mr. Walker is well known in this city. He is a son of S. Walker and spent his boyhood days here. He went to Montana some time ago, where he engaged in business, but recently removed to Sand Point, Idaho, where he is now engaged in the clothing business.

Mrs. Blatner was also at one time a resident of this city. She was formerly Miss Agnes LaFonde, and it was her brother who was killed near New Richmond, Wis., a short time ago by being struck by a train. She was formerly the wife of Fred Blatner, who lived in this city some years ago.

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Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend my thanks to the kind neighbors and friends who assisted me during the late illness and death of my beloved wife. I wish especially to thank the members of the machinists union.

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Guilty of Manslaughter.

Des Moines, Ia., March 2.—John Walker, colored, charged with the murder of Isaac Finkelstein, prominent in local political circles, was found guilty of manslaughter. Harris Levich, who was jointly accused of the murder with Walker, was acquitted when tried.

The Dispatch is the best advertising medium in the city. Try it.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

"FAUST."

Lewis Morrison's newly revised version of "Faust" comes to the Brainerd Theatre next Thursday. What the dramatist calls heart interest has been the cause of the longevity of many plays when injected in sufficient quantities. The temptation of Faust, Faust's rejuvenation and passionate desire to possess the lovely Marguerite, the hapless fate and final apotheosis of Marguerite, the revelation of the nether depths of the Inferno, with Satan as a visible entity, possess a fascination that is evident whenever Lewis Morrison's production of "Faust" is presented. The scenery and beautiful electrical effects, together with a vividly realistic picture of a flaming, sulphurous Inferno in the third act, are factors in the beauty of the production.

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"KERRY GOW."

It is probable that few of the eminent American soldiers had a stronger liking for the theatre than did the late Gen. W. T. Sherman and one of his favorite actors was Joseph Murphy. One evening, just after witnessing a performance of "Kerry Gow," there was a brief meeting between the actor and the general, who after saying he had seen all of Mr. Murphy's plays, expressed a strong preference for "Kerry Gow." Mr. Murphy acknowledged his appreciation of various compliments General Sherman had bestowed, and thanking him, asked: "I am curious to know the cause of your choice." Thereupon the general-in-chief, as he was at that time, said: "I like the story because it is simple, clean, straightforward and exciting; I like the situations because they are possible, and every time I see you make a horse shoe, fit it and put it on the horses' foot, I am reminded of the way our farriers were occasionally forced to hustle during the march from Atlanta to the sea." The "Kerry Gow" will be presented at the Brainerd theatre next Saturday night.

D. M. Clark & Co. have just received a new spring line of wall paper and room moulding. 30-tf

WILL BUILD NEW ADDITION.

W. J. Weddell to Have Many Improvements at His Bakery--New Oven to be Installed.

S. Walker has made arrangements for extensive improvements on the building occupied by W. J. Weddell, the Front street baker.

A large addition, thirty by fifty feet, running back to the alley from the rear of the present building, is being erected with a view to providing all the conveniences of a thorough and up-to-date bakery shop. In this new addition will be placed a new oven of the latest make and pattern and the present oven room will be thoroughly overhauled and converted into a first-class ice cream parlor. Mr. Weddell will have as convenient a place as there is in the city when all the improvements are completed.

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To The People of Brainerd

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

The spring season will soon open up and house cleaning will be in order. To do so properly you will have to make some changes. New paint and paper will have to be put on. Economy in this line, is generally the rule. To assist you in securing your wall paper at a very low cost, I have secured sample books, of the E. W. Turner Co., of Minneapolis, and Wm. Stevenson Co., Chicago Ill. These lines are the best that the market affords, comprising white blanks, plain and embossed bronzes, plain and embossed flats, silks, cretonnes, self tone effect, tapestries, varnished tiles, stripes in plain floral and damask effects, ingrains plain figured and crepe, with borders and ceilings to match. Included in these samples are some patterns made by the F. E. James Wall Paper Manufacturers, which they guarantee, NOT TO FADE. Every roll stamped with their guarantee. These lines must be seen to be appreciated. You who are going to do papering, call and look over these samples before purchasing elsewhere.

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Blue Ribbon Flour per sack	$1.90	1 lb Better Prunes for	7c
7 bars Jaxon Soap None better, for	25c	3 lbs Very Best Prunes for	25c
5 doz Clothes Pins for	5c	Dried Peaches and Apricots, per lb	10c
1 Bottle of Bluing for	5c	Dried Plums and Pears per lb	12½c
Best Rice @ 10c, 7c and	5c	Dried Apples, best grade per lb	10c
Best Sago per lb	6c	Cranberries per qt	12½c
Macaroni per package	10c	Bulk Olives per pt	20c
Best Tapioca per lb	6c	6 lbs Small Navy Beans for	25c
Royal Baking Powder per can, 35c and	18c	5 lb Pail Jelly for	20c
Bakers Chocolate per cake	16c	3 lbs bulk Mince Meat for	25c
Eagle Brand Condensed Milk, per can	16c	1 gal Saur Kraut for	15c
Can Cream per can	10c	1 lb Good Tea for	30c
No. 1 Lamp Chimney each	5c	1 lb Better Tea for	40c
No. 2 Lamp Chimney each	8c	1 lb Best Tea for	50c

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WEST BOUND.		
No. 5, Fargo Express	1:05 p. m.	1:25 p. m.
No. 13, Pacific Express	11:55 p. m.	11:05 a. m.
No. 11, Pacific Express	12:35 p. m.	12:45 p. m.

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FIRST VICTIM'S FATHER

HERMAN LITTLEMAN CONFRONTS ALFRED KNAPP IN JAIL AT HAMILTON, O.

EXPRESSES SOME REMORSE

Murderer Showed Signs of Breaking Down Before the Enraged Parent. Latter Says He Never Saw the Strangler Before—Former Employer Says Knapp Showed Vicious Tendencies on Several Occasions.

Hamilton, O., March 2.—Alfred Knapp was during the day visited by Herman Littleman of Cincinnati, father of little Emma Littleman, the victim of Knapp's first murder in Cincinnati. Littleman was unable to identify Knapp as any man whom he had ever seen or known. The most significant feature of the interview was the fact that for the first time Knapp expressed some remorse and showed signs of breaking down before the enraged father. Littleman stood outside the cell and after he had looked at Knapp said:

"I have never seen the man before. I do not care to look at him any more."

Knapp said: "I am just as sorry as can be that Little Emma is dead. She had hair and eyes like yours."

As Littleman turned away tears stood in Knapp's eyes. This was his first demonstration in that way.

Showed Vicious Tendencies.

In the few months Knapp lived in Hamilton he showed vicious tendencies.

W. B. Carr, who employed Knapp, says Knapp one day while at work on the third floor of the mill saw a nice young woman accompanied by a lady passing in the street. He had a large chisel in his hand, which he hurled at the couple, although he knew them not. Later he attempted to kill an unknown passing woman by hurling a large chunk of iron out of the window.

Knapp does not use tobacco and is not known as a drinker. He is quite a reader and is kept supplied with magazines and books, but not allowed to see newspapers. He enjoys card playing with other prisoners.

A special grand jury will try Knapp at once for the Murder of Hannah Goddard, wife No. 3.

BURDICK MURDER.

Statement of a Woman Places Case in Different Light.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 2.—The district attorney and the heads of the detective and police forces for nearly two hours have been closely questioning a woman in connection with the murder of Edwin L. Burdick. She is not under arrest, but it is stated that an arrest may follow at any moment. It is said that the woman, whose identity is known only to those in the room, has figured in the case heretofore. Her statement, it is also stated on good authority, is placing the murder in an entirely different light from any of the theories previously advanced by the police.

ENDS IN A COMPROMISE.

Santa Fe Employes on Coast Lines Receive an Increase.

Topeka, Kan., March 2.—At a conference between the officials of the Santa Fe railway and a committee sent from the conductors and trainmen, formal settlement of the wage controversy was made. The freight men receive an increase of 15 per cent in wages and the passenger men 12 per cent, effective March 1, 1903.

A compromise was made on the double header question whereby the road retains double headers on some parts of the system and abolishes them on others.

The organizations held out for a 20 per cent increase and abolishment of the double header system. Hence the settlement will be seen to be in the nature of a compromise.

The agreement just signed covered the coast lines of the Santa Fe system only, but the officials of the road and the members of the grievance committee say that the other agreements covering the whole system will be signed, and that this will be an informal matter, as the terms already have been agreed upon.

WEARY OF LIFE.

Woman Claiming to Be Last of Distinguished Family Suicides.

Philadelphia, March 2.—A woman who gave her name as Mrs. Charlotte G. Wellington, committed suicide last night by inhaling chloroform in a fashionable boarding house at Haddonfield, N. J., near here. The woman left a note to the proprietor of the boarding house in which she said:

"I am the last of a distinguished family left so alone that I am tired of life. Will you kindly see that my remains are decently buried? I enclose money to pay expenses. My clothes give to the poor. Please keep this as quiet as possible."

With the note was $75. The woman came to the boarding house about Feb. 20. She was always apparently in good spirits. She was about fifty years of age, refined and plentifully supplied with money.

ROBERT EMMETT'S BIRTHDAY.

Anniversary Celebrated in Washington by Public Meeting.

Washington, March 2.—The 125th anniversary of the birthday of Robert Emmett was celebrated at a largely attended public meeting here at night at which the speakers included Senator Clapp of Minnesota and Representatives Barthold of Missouri, Driscoll of New York and Cockran of Missouri. They all expressed sympathy for the Irish cause and at the close of the meeting resolutions were adopted declaring that to the securing of Irish liberty "we pledge our lives, our fortures and our honor."

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VICTORY NOT ASSURED.

Russians Not Optimistic Over Tackling Abdul's Army.

St. Petersburg, Saturday, Feb. 28, via Eydtkuhnen, German Frontier, March 2.—Some publicists are of the opinion that only the sternest language towards Turkey can prevent a war between Turkey and Russia in the spring. They believe that Turkey will pursue bands of Macedonian mercenaries across the Bulgarian frontier and public opinion will compel Russia to interfere. The Russians thoroughly understand that a war with Turkey will be more serious than that of 1878. Officers are quoted as saying that the Turkish army is the best in the world, owing to its German arms and armament. There is a growing feeling here that Germany would welcome a clash between Russia and Turkey. This opinion is freely expressed in private, though not allowed public utterance.

TURKISH TROOPS REPULSED.

Macedonians and Bulgarians Defeat Sultan's Forces.

London, March 2.—The Geneva correspondent of the Daily Chronicle telegraphs that news has been received there of an engagement between Turkish troops and bodies of Macedonians and Bulgarians near Monastir. The Turks suffered a repulse. After the fighting thirty-two dead and many wounded men were found.

RAIN OF ASHES CONTINUES.

Mount Colima Devastates Many Rich Plantations.

Guadalajara, Mex., March 1.—The rain of ashes from Mount Colima still continues. Many plantations situated in the rich valleys to the eastward of the volcano have been completely devastated. The slate colored powder covers the ground to a depth of several inches. Lava is pouring down the eastern slope of the mountain. Natives are terror-stricken by the earthquake shocks. These seismic disturbances show no indication of decreasing in violence. The shocks occur at intervals throughout the days and nights. Everyone is camping out of doors. A pall of smoke that hangs close to the earth and is almost stifling covers the country for fifty miles around the volcano. The light of the sun is shut out and lighted lamps are required throughout the day. The cathedrals are crowded with worshippers day and night.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Jose Batele Ordonez has been elected president of Uruguay.

The typhoid fever epidemic at Ithaca, N. Y., is gradually abating.

Former Congressman Jehu Baker is dead at his home at Belleville, Ill.

President Francis of the St. Louis exposition has left London for Paris.

The Gaynor and Greene extradition case will be the subject of an interpellation in the Canadian legislature.

The blockade due to the heavy fall of snow in western Colorado, Wyoming and Nebraska, has been broken.

The first express train by the Eastern China and Transsiberian railways left Port Arthur on Friday for Lake Baikal.

The Shanghai authorities have seized hundreds of rifles and large stores of ammunition in China warehouses near there.

Wilson K. Nixon, one of the men who assisted in the work of rebuilding Chicago, after the great fire, and one of her most prominent citizens, is dead.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Feb. 28.—Wheat—May, 76⅝@76½c; July, 76⅝@76½c. On track—No. 1 hard, 78¾c; No. 1 Northern, 77¾c; No. 2 Northern, 76¾c.

Duluth Grain and Flax.

Duluth, Feb. 28.—Wheat—Cash, No. 1 hard, 77c; No. 1 Northern, 76c; No. 2 Northern, 74c; No. 3 spring, 71c. To arrive—No. 1 Northern, 77¼c; May, 77¼@77⅜c; July, 77c. Flax—Cash, $1.11¾.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, Feb. 28.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, $4.50@5.00; common to fair, $3.00@4.25; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.25@4.00; calves, $2.00@3.00. Hogs—$6.50@7.10. Sheep—Good to choice, $4.75@5.25; lambs, $5.50@6.25.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—Cattle—Good to prime steers, $5.00@5.75; poor to medium, $3.25@4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.35@4.70; cows, $1.40@4.60; heifers, $2.00@4.75; calves, $3.25@7.50. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $6.80@7.20; good to choice heavy, $7.25@7.40; rough heavy, $6.85@7.20; light, $6.50@6.85. Sheep—Good to choice, $5.00@5.50; Western, $4.75@5.50; native lambs, $4.75@5.85; Western, $4.75@6.85.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—Wheat—May, 77⅛c; July, 73⅝@73¾c; Sept., 72c. Corn—Feb., 45c; March, 45c; May, 47c; July, 44⅞c; Sept., 44⅛c. Oats—Feb., 34c; May, 35½c; July, 32½@32⅝c; Sept., 29⅜@29¾c. Pork—May, $18.00; July, $17.45; Sept., $16.95. Flax—Cash, Northwestern, $1.16; Southwestern, $1.12; May, $1.16½@1.17. Butter—Creameries, 18@27½c dairies, 14@24c. Eggs—14½@14¾c. Poultry—Turkeys, 15@18c; chickens, 10@13½c.

USE OF LOCAL TRACKS

HOUSE BILL ALLOWS INTERURBAN COMPANIES TO UTILIZE CITY CAR LINES.

GAME AND FISH LAWS CODIFIED, HARMONIZED AND REVISED BY SENATE MEASURE.

St. Paul, ... 2.—Representative Yoerg of St. Paul introduced a bill by request in the house in the morning, compelling local street railway lines to permit interurban companies the use of their tracks upon consent of the local authorities, the compensation to be decided by the courts when a mutual agreement proves impossible. The bill was sent to the judiciary committee where its constitutionality will be passed upon. According to its sponsor the bill is designed to encourage the construction of interurban lines. Its passage would to a centain extent, entail a forfeiture of exclusive franchises now held by various companies, particularly the Twin City Rapid Transit company. It may also prove of importance to Duluth, where a proposition is afoot to connect the Zenith City with towns in the range, including Hibbing, Virginia and Eveleth.

Mr. Tighe of Ramsey, by request presented three bills carrying $38,000 in appropriations for the state board of health. Of this $5,000 is to make a chemical examination of water supplies; $30,000 for the laboratory; and $3,000 to collect vital statistics. These amounts are in addition to the regular appropriation.

Mr. Gregory of St. Paul sent up a bill providing that all work on public buildings or grounds under charge of the board of control be done by contract, let to the lowest bidder after bids have been advertised for. The bids are to be opened publicly and a record kept in the office of secretary of state. At present these bids are not public records.

Armory Bond Bill Passed.

Among the bills passed was Mr. Shove's measure permitting cities to issue bonds to raise money for the construction of armories for the national guard, and Mr. Deming's bill limiting the time during which continuous serv... ...ay be required from locomotive en...eers and firemen to fourteen hours.

Mr. Morley's bill removing the university and other educational institutions from the charge of the board of control, came up as a special order at 2 p. m. The bill has been reported for indefinite postponement by the committee on general legislation, but its fate will be decided on the floor.

The first vote taken after the session opened was on a motion made by Mr. Haugland to reconsider the vote by which the Stone rate bill was passed. This was a parliamentary device to make all secure. A roll call was demanded and the count showed only seven votes for reconsideration. The bill will now go to the senate.

The appropriations committee of the house has decided to recommend the printing deficiency and the national guard appropriation bills for immediate passage. They will not be required to wait for the omnibus bill, on the ground that they are emergency measures. The weekly newspapers of the state have waited almost a year for their money.

On motion of Mr. Gillette the house adjourned until Monday at 11 a. m.

GAME AND FISH LAWS.

General Bill by Senator Morgan Revises Them.

All existing laws for the preservation, propagation, sale and transportation of game fish have been codified, harmonized, revised and included in one general bill presented to the senate by Senator Morgan. There are no radical changes in the bill, which is understood to have the indorsement of Executive Agent Sam Fullerton. The bill carries an appropriation of $50,000, a portion of which is to be expended in improvements at the fish hatchery, including two new fish-houses.

The law imposes a tax of $25 on non-residents for big and $10 for small game. The small game fee is an innovation.

A rather peculiar bill was offered by Senator John C. Hardy of St. Paul. It appropriates $5,000 for the widow of Joseph Mrozinski, who was killed by a shot from a steam launch in the Mississippi river occupied by a deputy game warden and an assistant. Mrozinski was supposed to be engaged in illegal fishing. At the trial of the game warden the latter was acquitted. The peculiarity in the Hardy bill is the following clause: "Who was, without doubt, just cause or provocation, shot or killed by a deputy game warden or his assistant then with him."

The senate Thursday passed a resolution calling on the board of university regents for an itemized report of re...ts and expenditures. Early in the morning the report was on the desk of the senators. The figures are interesting:

The total receipts for the university for 1902 were $439,917.22; disbursements, $419,744.97; balance for July 31, 1902, 20,172.25; paid for salaries 1902, $293,223.34.

On the basis of the figures for 1901 and 1902 the university receipts for 1903 from the state tax, the government grant, and the university receipts will amount to about $370,000.

If the special bill passes without change it will add $531,000 to the $370,000 from the other sources, making a total credit of $901,000.

Opposition has developed in the senate to the Deming bill, which contributes $5,000 out of the state treasury to the Finnish and Swedish famine relief funds. Singularly enough, it is those who are most interested in the work of raising funds to relieve the distress in Sweden and Finland that are opposing the appropriation.

The senate adjourned to Monday at 3 p. m.

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OF LITTLE IMPORTANCE.

Paris Police Take No Stock in Alleged Anarchistic Plot.

Paris, ... 2.—The prefecture of police minimizes the importance of the reported anarchistic plot against European rulers. A high official of the prefecture said there was no connection between the so-called anarchists of America and those of France and Spain. The French anarchistic groups are particularly calm at present.

The police officials gave a categorical denial of the reports that they have adopted special measures of precaution because of the arrest of an anarchist in New York. The Paris police officials who have special charge of the surveillance of anarchists attach no importance to the reported international movement.

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